

called a fighter, but he has been the sort of a one that all Britishers respect, that is, he ever fought in the open. He deserves credit, however, especially for the large amount of constructive work which he has done in matters relating to the status of the profession and the Council's curriculum. It was a graceful act on the part of the Council to elect him to this new position by a unanimous vote.

One of the most important things considered by the Education Committee and discussed by the Council was the curriculum for the 5th year. No definite action was taken, but the matter will be carefully considered during this year, and a report will be brought in at the next meeting of the Council in July, 1908. It seems not unlikely that all the Universities of Ontario will be asked to make the medical course a five year, instead of a four year, one. McGill University has set a good example in that respect by establishing a regular five year course. The University of Toronto has made a couple of puny attempts to establish a regular course for the fifth year. Unfortunately these two endeavors resulted in miserable failures.

We are glad to know that the Property Committee (or the Building Committee) is now "sitting up," and endeavoring to accomplish some work in a business way. They have purchased a beautiful lot, admirably situated on University Avenue (which runs from Queen St. to Queen's Park) between the public school at the head of Simcoe St. on the south, and the Alexandra Palace on the north. This lot is about 100 x 130 feet, and on it is a substantial building, which may be utilized to some extent. A new building better suited for the wants for the Council than that formerly owned by this body will be erected immediately.

WITH PROF. SCHOTT AT BAD-NAUHEIM.

The delivery of an address some months ago in Toronto by Prof. Theodor Schott, on the Treatment of Chronic Diseases of the Heart (see page 470), bearing particularly upon the effectiveness of the Schott Method as practiced at Bad-Nauheim, created very considerable interest, and was largely the